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R 141100 Z MAY 73

FM AMEMBASSY DACCA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9731

AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

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E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: BEXP BTRA ETRN BG UK

SUBJ: PANAM APPARENTLY LOSES OUT TO TEMPLEWOOD AND NORTHWEST

ON BOEING LEASE/ SALE TO BANGLADESH BIMAN

REF: STATE 066669(NOTAL)

1. BRITISH CARRIER TEMPLEWOOD AVIATION HAS APPARENTLY WON OUT OVER PANAM, WORLD AIRWAYS AND OTHER BRITISH COMPETITORS TO LEASE AND SELL

BOEING TO BANGLADESH BIMAN. EMBASSY SENDING SEPTTEL WITH ADDITIONAL DETAILS OBTAINED FROM TEMPLEWOOD REPS BUT PANAM MESSAGE BELOW BELIEVED BE ESSENTIALLY CORRECT. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS TEMPLEWOOD LEASING

OWN BOEING 707-321 WITH DELIVERY IN JUNE AND SELLING 707-320- C FROM NORTHWEST ORIENT WITH DELIVERY IN DECEMBER.

2. FOR DEPARTMENT, BEIRUT AND NEW DELHI; PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING INTERESTED PARTY MESSAGE TO PANAM REPS EVANS, NEWYORK; WILLIAMS, BEIRUT; AND REPPUN, NEW DELHI.

3. QUOTE: CNZ B707 LEASE/ SALE TO BANGLADESH BIMAN. HAVE RECEIVED UNOFFICIAL INFO THAT BB AND GOVT HAVE AGREED TO ACCEPT TEMPLEWOOD'S OFFER TO LEASE B-321 TILL END 73 AND THEN PURCHASE 320 C IN JAN 74 FROM THEM. UNDERSTAND ONE CAPT. MCINTOSH AND MR. GRIFFIN

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OF TEMPLEWOOD ARE IN TOWN CLOSING DEAL. ANTICIPATE THIS DEAL WOULD
BE FINALIZED IN A DAY OR TWO. BELIEVE THIS AIRCRAFT WOULD BE OF
NORTHWEST . WOULD ADVISE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT . SIGNED HUSAIN.
UNQUOTE.
INTERESTED PARTY.
NEWBERRY

NOTE BY OC/ T: NOT PASSED PANAM REPS EVANS, NEW YORK.

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